

# What's on February 2020?

Tourism Open Day, Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> Feb, 3 – 5pm, The GALE Centre



We're having an open afternoon for local tourism businesses to visit The GALE Centre and explore the services we have on offer. We will also have a discount on our books, maps and guides so you can stock up on literature for your visitors in advance of the busy tourist season.

GALE advertising members can also use the opportunity to bring in their leaflets to stock up our leaflet displays.

Not an advertiser? You can join on the day!

## Wester Ross BLEAT, Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> March, 11.30am – 1.30pm, The Gairloch Hotel

Don't miss the Wester Ross Business Leaflet Exchange Advertising Tourism (BLEAT) event that's running during the Visit Wester Ross Tourism Conference on the 10th March which looks to be a great opportunity for networking and



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collecting info for the coming season!

We will have a table at BLEAT so if you can't make the open day at The GALE Centre be sure to drop in and see us at The Gairloch Hotel on 10th March!

#### Pop up Restaurant Opportunity!

Last winter we held a series of Open House foodie evenings at The GALE Centre with the main objective of providing a social meeting opportunity over food for locals and visitors alike. This year we would like to run it as a Pop up Restaurant and are seeking hosts who might be interested in using The GALE Centre space in the evening to provide a similar foodie/social service for our area.

#### Our first pop up restaurant event was hosted by The Gorse Bush!

Last Tuesday we launched the first pop up restaurant evening at The GALE Centre! Rupert Shakespeare from the Gorse Bush in Kinlochewe made some delicious curries and it was a great success! He did 27 meals and all the plates came up practically clean! Thank you to everybody who came and enjoyed this cosy, foodie, social event. We're planning our next one now so keep your eyes peeled for more info!

Are you interested in hosting a meal at The GALE Centre? Contact Louise for more info! marketing@galeteam.co.uk

# Gairloch and District Show, Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> August 2020 Committee call out

We're looking for a few volunteers who might be interested in joining a committee to help run the much loved Gairloch and District Show, could this be you?

The date for this year's show is 29 August. We're introducing a few different categories this year but the old classics will still stand - if you'd like a reminder of last year's categories then we are happy to give you a copy of a previous schedule until the 2020 one has been finalised!

### Room Hire available at The GALE Centre – All year round!

Do you need a private, comfortable space to hold a workshop or meeting? We have the perfect space for you at The GALE Centre!

### All day / Half day / Evening / Hourly Rates / Catering Available

Speak to us for more information about how we can help you to make the most of your meeting or workshop!

#### New Stock at The GALE Centre!

Have you been to The GALE Centre recently? We have lots of new stock in including these funky illustrated cards and prints! Come and have a look!





### Spring Seed Swap – Success!

Thank you to everyone who came to the Spring Seed Swap last week! It was great to see so many faces taking part in our growing related activities!

We had lots of kids making pine cone feeders, hanging bug homes, sowing sweet peas and drawing with our locally made charcoal.

There were also lots of folk collecting seeds for their own gardens and lots of chat! Three people took part in Jenni's newly invented "Interview with an Expert" mini-project which is about gathering and sharing local growing knowledge.

We still have lots of seeds available at The GALE Centre so pop by and grab some in time for Spring!

ion open to all. It is a Scottish Registered Charity and works on social, economic and to build strong, resilient communities in the Gairloch and Loch Ewe area. Become a member to support our work or contact us to find out more about any of our projects.